The MARYLAND GAZETTE.

[XIXth Year.] THURSDAY, December 1, 1763. [N°. 969.]

In the LOWER HOUSE of ASSEMBLY.
Nov. 22, 1763.

ORDERED, That Mr. JONAS GREEN do Print in the *Maryland Gazette*, the Act *for the speedy Recovery of small Debts out of Court, before one Justice of the Peace*, which was Passed this Session. Signed per Order,

M. MACNEMARA, Cl. Low. Ho.

An Act for the speedy Recovery of small Debts out of Court, before one Justice of the Peace.

WHEREAS the Recovery of small Debts before one Justice of the Peace, out of Court, has been found a great Satisfaction and Ease to the good People of this Province, and that the Jurisdiction of one Justice of the Peace, by the Law heretofore made is not sufficiently extended to suit their Convenience and Benefit: It is therefore humbly prayed that it may be Enacted,

And be it Enacted, by the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary, by and with the Advice and Consent of his Lordship's Governour, and the Upper and Lower Houses of Assembly, and the Authority of the same, That in all Cases where the real Debt, or Damage, doth not exceed Six Hundred Pounds of Tobacco, or Fifty Shillings Current Money, it shall and may be lawful for any one Justice of the Peace, of each respective County wherein the Debtor doth reside, to try, hear, and determine the Matter of Controversy, between the Creditor and Debtor, and upon full Hearing of the Allegations and Evidences of both Parties, shall give Judgment according to the Equity and Right of the Matter, and if Need be, charge the Constable with the Body of the Debtor in Execution, who is hereby obliged and impowered to carry the Person so committed, to the Sheriff of the County, together with a Certificate or Mittimus from such Justice, wherein shall be certified the Debt and Cause whereof such Person shall be convict, by him to be safely kept, until Satisfaction, or other End thereof, or otherwise, that such Justice, or any other Justice of the Peace for the same County, shall, within Twelve Months from the Time of the Rendition of said Judgment, award Execution thereon (directed to the Sheriff of the County) by Warrant or Mittimus, in the Nature of a *Capias satisfaciendum, Fieri facias*, or otherwise, and in such Case upon the Return of any Warrant, or any Complaint issued by any such Justice, it shall appear that the Person against whom the same shall issue is not to be found, it shall and may be lawful for the Creditor to proceed, in the several and respective County Courts, for obtaining an Attachment, according to the Directions of the Act lately made for attaching our Attachments in this Province, and levying the Extent of them, against the Goods, Chattels, and Credits of such Persons, for any Sum not exceeding One Hundred Pounds of Tobacco, or Ten Shillings in Current Money; any Act, or Acts to the contrary, notwithstanding.

And whereas many Times Witnesses may be wanting, or the Parties not prepared, to make good their Allegations immediately on the Appearance of the Defendant; so that a further Time may be necessary to examine into the Matter of Controversy: *Be it therefore Enacted*, That when any Defendant shall be brought on a Warrant, before any Justice of the Peace, such Justice may, if he or the Defendant shall think fit, give and allow to the said Defendant a future certain Day, not exceeding Ten Days, to appear before such Justice, or any other Justice of the same County, at a certain Place to be appointed, to answer unto such Warrant, such Defendant giving good and sufficient Security, if such Justice shall award it necessary, by Way of Recognizance, in the Nature of Bail, for the Defendant's Appearance at the Time and Place appointed, and paying what he shall be condemned in by the said Warrant, or surrendering his Person in Execution in Satisfaction thereof, or in Default of the Defendant's giving such Security, to commit the Defendant to the Sheriff's Custody, till he put in such Bail; and if the Defendant shall not appear at the Time and Place appointed, Judgment may be rendered against him on such Default, or on an ex *Parte* Hearing, if the Justice does not see Cause to the contrary, and if Judgment shall be in any Manner rendered against the principal Debtor, and he does not pay such Condemnation, or render himself on Execution, to be taken remainder at the End of Thirty Days from the filing thereof, a Warrant shall and may be issued, and Recovery and Execution had against such Bail, in the same Manner as against principal Debtors: Saving to such Bail all Manner of Defence that Special Bail in Courts of Law are intitled to on the Return of the first or second *Scire facias*, and the Liberty of delivering up the principal Debtor, on the Return of such Warrant, on Payment of Costs on the same Warrant.

Provided always, and it is hereby Enacted, That the Constable shall give Notice to the Plaintiff, or his Agent, where either of them lives in the same Hundred, of the Time and Place he intends to carry the Defendant before a Justice; and in Case neither the Plaintiff, having Notice as aforesaid, nor any Person for him, nor the Plaintiff, nor any Person for him, when such Plaintiff lives out of the same Hundred and hath not appointed any Agent in that Business, with or without Notice, shall appear on the Return of the Warrant, or shall make Default in not appearing at the Time and Place appointed, when there shall be an Appointment by the Justice of a future Day for an Hearing, the Justice before whom any Defendant shall be brought on a Warrant as aforesaid, or before whom he shall appear on an Appointment as aforesaid, shall and may hear and determine the Matter of Controversy *ex Parte*.

And be it further Enacted, That from and after the End of this present Session of Assembly, it shall and may be lawful for the Justice before whom any such Judgment is had, or any other Justice of the Peace of that County, to take a *Supersedeas* of such Judgment, in the same Manner, and for the same Time, as is by Law directed for any Two Justices to take of any Judgments, or Executions on Judgments, rendered in the several County Courts of Law of this Province.

And be it likewise Enacted, That the Justices of the several County Courts within this Province, shall not hold Plea in the said Courts, of any Debt or Damage which shall not exceed Six Hundred Pounds of Tobacco, or Fifty Shillings in Current Money; any Law, Usage, or Custom, to the contrary, notwithstanding.

And be it likewise Enacted, That an Act of Assembly, made at a Session of Assembly, held at the City of *Annapolis*, on the Twenty-sixth Day of *April, Anno Domini* Seventeen Hundred and Fifteen, entituled, *An Act for the speedy Recovery of small Debts out of Court, before a single Justice of the Peace*, be, and is hereby abrogated, repealed, and made void.

Provided always, That in Case either Plaintiff or Defendant shall think him or herself aggrieved, by the Determination of any Magistrate, where the Sum shall exceed Thirty-three Shillings and Four-pence, or Four Hundred Pounds of Tobacco, he or she shall be at Liberty to appeal to the next County Court, before the Justices thereof, who are hereby, upon the Petition of the Appellant, in a summary Way, to hear the Allegations and Proofs of both Parties, and determine upon the same, according to the Equity and Right of the Matter, the same Court in which the said Petition shall be exhibited, without any further Continuance or Delay, unless it shall appear to the Satisfaction of the said Court, that further Time ought to be given to the Party applying for the same, to enable the said Court to determine the Cause, according to the Equity and Right of the Matter.

Provided also, and be it further Enacted, That no Execution upon any Judgment, to be rendered by any Justice, shall be stayed or delayed, or any *Supersedeas* upon such Judgment granted upon any Appeal, unless the Person appealing, or some other on his or her Behalf, shall immediately upon making such Appeal, enter into Bond with sufficient Sureties, such as the Justice by whom Judgment shall be given, shall approve of, in double the Sum recovered, with Condition, that if the Party appealing shall not prosecute his Appeal at the next County Court, with Effect, according to the Directions of the Act, entituled, *An Act for the speedy Recovery of small Debts out of Court, before one Justice of the Peace*, and also pay and satisfy the Party in whose Behalf the Judgment of the Justice shall be given, his Executors, Administrators, or Assigns, in Case the said Judgment shall be affirmed, as well the Debt, Damage, and Cost, adjudged by the Justice from whose Judgment such Appeal shall be made, as also all Cost and Damage that shall be awarded by the Court before whom such Appeal shall be heard, tried, and determined, then the said Bond to be and remain in full Force and Virtue, otherwise to be of none Effect.

This Act to continue for Three Years, and unto the End of the next Session of Assembly, which shall happen after the Expiration of the said Three Years.

BERLIN, August 16.

THE fatal Consequences of the great Bankruptcies which have happened at Amsterdam, have been felt here. The Eyes of every Body are now fixed upon the Sieur Godfroitky, who, on Account of his very extensive Commerce, must, if he fails, draw many along with him. The King is taking the utmost Pains to save him, and on this Account his Majesty has directed Messrs. Schikler and Schutz, two eminent Bankers of this City, to inspect his Books, which they have been three Days about, and made their Report Yesterday; the Event of which the Public is very impatient to know. What adds to the Calamity of the present Crisis is, that many private People, in order to secure their Money, used to lodge it in the Hands of the eminent Merchants, many of whom are now on the Brink of Ruin: But it is the general Opinion, that if the Sieur Godfroitky stands his Ground, many others will be enabled to do the same.

We learn from Magdeburgh, that Mr. Bachman, an eminent Merchant there, for whom every Body was under great Apprehensions, has made up his Affairs in a very satisfactory Manner. Some of our Bankers have determined to send Sums of Money into Holland, in order to save a Fund there to support their Credit.

The Fate of the Hamburghers is still more deplorable. Messr. Ephraim and Itzig, very eminent Jew Merchants here, in order to support some of them, sent the Day before Yesterday, under a strong Guard, 3,000,000 of Crowns.

Hamburgh, August 19. Most of the Merchants who have declared themselves insolvent, have petitioned the Senate to spare them the mortifying Circumstance of having Assignees appointed for the Management of their Affairs, as is usual on such Occasions; but it is not yet known whether this will be agreed to. It is to be feared that some Merchants must have concealed considerable Sums, with a View of Living in Opulence hereafter, as without something of this Kind the Bankruptcies could not have been so general, nor so important.

Paris, Aug. 16. It is said that a Resolution has been taken to send all the Negroes out of the Kingdom, since they increase in such a Manner, that there are at this Time upwards of a thousand Negroes and Mulattoes in the Foundling Hospital in this Capital. The Nobility have Orders to give in an Account of those which are in their Service.

LONDON, August 4.

A new Plan has appeared at Paris for paying off the Debts of the State. It is a Lottery of 600,000 Tickets at 100 Louis each, wherein there is to be one Prize of 20,000,000 Livres, one of 10,000,000, &c. &c. This Projector supposes that there are in the Kingdom 600,000 Persons able to bear, even for their Pleasure, a Loss of 1400 Livres.

Extract of a Letter from Hamburgh, July 19.

"We have just received here from a good Hand, an astonishing Piece of News. It is, that the Sultan of Constantinople has commanded an Ambassador to the King of Prussia. It is well known that

that the Porte has not been used to send Ambaſſadors, excepting to Emperors and the Kings of France. It will be therefore a very singular Phænomenon, tho' agreeable and pleaſing to his Pruſſian Majeſty, to ſee at his Court an Ottoman Miniſter."

According to Letters from Conſtantinople, Achmet Effendi receiver of the Clergy's Revenues, is the Perſon appointed for the Embaſſy to the Court of Berlin. In 1718 he was ſent to Vienna, to notify the Death of the Sultan Oſman, and the Acceſſion of his Brother Muſtapha, now reigning, to the Ottoman Throne.

CHARLES-TOWN, *(South-Carolina) October* 12.

On the 24th paſt, a Head-man from the Lower Creeks, accompanied by a Britiſh Trader, arrived at Auguſta with a long Talk, containing the ſtrongeſt Profeſſions of Friendſhip, and importing, "That they, the Lower Creeks, were preparing "to come to the Congreſs, when they were informed by one of their own People, who had "been down near Auguſta, That there was to "be no Congreſs, but that the Indians, were, as "ſoon as they arrived at the Place of Meeting, "to be ſecured till Satisfaction was given by the "Upper Creeks, for the Murders they have lately "committed, and that in Conſequence of the ſaid "Information, they had given over providing for "their Journey, and ſent down the preſent Talk "by one they could depend upon, in order to be "fully informed about the Matter; and that an "Anſwer brought by him would determine them "about coming down." A proper Reply was prepared and ſent off, which the Indians ſaid would remove their Suſpicions, and that moſt of the Headmen of the Lower Creek Towns might be expected. The Gentleman who ſends this Account from Auguſta, complains of a "Number "of worthleſs People that Way, who are continually telling Falſhoods to the Indians with a "miſchievous Deſign."

On the 4th Inſt. a white Man arrived from the Upper Creek Country, in ſix Days at Auguſta, and brings Accounts that Meſſrs. Brown and Struthers, who had ſet off from the Place laſt named, on hearing their Goods had been taken and ſecured to prevent their falling into the Hands of the Mortar, arrived at Oakfuſkee, where the Indians delivered their Horſes and Goods, with which Mr. Brown ſet off for the Chickeſaws, eſcorted by ſixteen Creek Indians, and was met on the Road by a Party of Chickeſaw Indians, who conducted him to the Breed Camp free from any Diſturbance from the Mortar or his Gang. Since that Time the Mortar has not been ſeen in the Nation, and is ſaid to be gone to the Northward; or among the Cherokees. When he took Leave of the French, who were ſtill at Halbams and gave him ſome Guns, he told them he ſhould not return for ſome Months. The Wolf King of Mobulaſſee, and about 30 other Upper Creeks with Mr. Germany and two other Traders, are gone to Penſacola with Intent to find out what is deſigned to be done in the Settlement of the Lands there. The Inſolence of the Upper Creeks is ſaid to be almoſt intolerable, and that few or none of them will come to the Congreſs, yet the Wolf-King has ever ſhewed himſelf ſtrongly attached to the Britiſh Nation and Intereſt. On the 25th paſt, being about Three Days before the Perſon abovementioned left the Upper Creek Country, he was informed that ſeveral Hundreds of Choctaws, and about one Hundred Chickeſaws were on their Way to the Congreſs. About one Hundred Lower Creeks were likewiſe coming, but it was thought could not reach Auguſta before the 20th or perhaps 25th Inſt. which would be much about the Time that the Cherokee Deputies were expected to be down.

BOSTON, *October* 24.

Saturday laſt arrived here Capt. Wheelwright from Halifax, which Place he left laſt Monday: By a Gentleman who came Paſſenger we learn, that the Right Hon. Lord COLVILLE, Rear Admiral of the White, and Commander in Chief of his Majeſty's Ships in North America, was arrived there in the Romney Man of War in 40 Days from England:—That it was reported at Halifax that three large French Storeſhips were gone up the River St. Lawrence, ſuppoſed to ſupply the Indians, &c. with Neceſſaries for carrying on another War, which it was feared would ſoon break out, the French preſenting great Difficulties, and using many Arbels Arts to avoid complying with ſome of the Articles of the laſt Treaty of Peace: 'Tis alſo ſaid that the Misunderſtanding between the Court of France and Spain, was greatly increaſed, and that Sir Charles Wager, one of the Lords of the Admiralty, was going over to Holland in order, if poſſible, to accommodate Affairs with Spain. We alſo hear that ſome Diſſentions there ariſen between us and the King of Pruſſia, which it was thought would be amended with ſome Conceſſions.

PROVIDENCE, *October* 19.

Extract of a Letter from a Correſpondent in Elizabeth-Town, New-Jerſey, dated October 4.

"There is one Mr. Samuel Miller, who lives about ſeven Miles from this Place, who has an Orchard, which I went to ſee a few Days ago, that covers fifty Acres of Land, on which he has Seven Thouſand Peach Trees, and One Thouſand Apple Trees, from which Peach Trees he makes this Year (it being the firſt of their Bearing) Eleven Hundred Barrels of Juice; in the manufacturing of which he has at Work, Thirty Women and Fifteen Men, One large Stone Mill drawn by two Horſes, Ten Preſſes, and One hundred and Forty-five Baſkets, beſides Sleds and other Implements. It is thought Mr. Miller will make this Year, only by this Branch of Buſineſs, Eight Hundred Pounds New-York Currency."

ANNAPOLIS, *December* 1.

Thurſday laſt an Account was brought to *Frederick-Town* by Mr. *James Patten*, That on the 8th of *November* the Indians had done ſome Damage in the *Great Cove*, where they ſtay'd about two Hours: They kill'd *Chriſtopher Fidler*, *Charles Stewart*, and *Thomas Query*; and burnt *Wm. Nan's* Houſe, and took himſelf and Family, eight in Number, Priſoners. The Indians were about 20 in Number, and were purſued by a Party of 28 the Evening after they had done the Miſchief, and follow'd until the Monday Evening, when it began to Snow and cover'd their Tracks. In the purſuit they diſcovered a Child (one of the Eight) which they had murder'd on their Retreat.

Saturday laſt his Excellency Prorogued the General Aſſembly of this Province to the Firſt of *May* next.

A LIST of LAWS Paſſed this Seſſion.

1. An ACT for the Adjournment of *Baltimore* County Court.

2. An ACT for giving a Bounty for taking *Indian* Priſoners, and other Purpoſes therein mentioned.

3. An ACT for prohibiting all Trade with the *Indians*, for the Time therein mentioned.

4. An ACT continuing an Act, entitled, An Act for relieving the Inhabitants of this Province from ſome Aggrievances in the Proſecution of Suits at Law, and for continuing the Supplementary Act thereto.

5. An ACT continuing an Act, entitled, An Act for increaſing the Allowance of Grand and Petit Jurors, who ſhall attend the Provincial Court, to limit Coſts with reſpect to Witneſſes, and granting them an Allowance for itinerant Charges.

6. An ACT continuing an Act, entitled, A Supplementary Act to the Act, entitled, An Act for the Relief of Creditors in *England* againſt Bankrupts, who have imported Goods into this Province, not accounted for.

7. An ACT continuing an Act, entitled, An Act for preventing *Indians*, diſaffected to the *Britiſh* Intereſt in *America*, from coming into this Province as Spies, or on any other evil Deſign.

8. An ACT continuing an Act, entitled, An Act to prevent Perſons from ſecreting Boats, Flats, and other Veſſels, drove by Streſs of Weather, or otherwiſe, from Landings and Moorings.

9. An ACT continuing an Act, entitled, An Act to remedy ſome Evils relating to Servants.

10. An ACT continuing an Act, entitled, An Act to prevent Maſters of Ships and Veſſels from Clandeſtinely carrying Servants and Slaves, or Perſons Indebted, out of this Province.

11. An ACT continuing an Act, entitled, A Supplementary Act to the Act, entitled, An Act aſcertaining the Height of Fences, to prevent the Evil occaſioned by the Multitude of Horſes, and reſtraining Horſe Rangers within this Province, and to redreſs the great Evil accruing to this Province, by the Multiplicity of uſeleſs Horſes, Mares, and Colts, that run in the Woods.

12. An ACT continuing an Act, entitled, An Act for the Gauge of Barrels, for Pork, Beef, Pitch, Tar, Turpentine, and Tare of Barrels for Flour, or Bread.

13. A Supplementary Act to the ACT for the Relief of Creditors, and to prevent Frauds and Deceits, occaſioned by ſecret Sales and Mortgages, and Gifts of Goods and Chattels.

14. An ACT to aid the Proceedings of the Veſtry of *St. Stephen's* Parith, in *Cecil* County.

15. An ACT to impower *John Pare*, *Robert Adair*, *Moſes Hall*, and *Margaret* his Wife, to ſell and diſpoſe of the Lands therein mentioned, late the Lands of *William Hammond* of *Baltimore* County, deceaſed, for the Payment of his Debts, and the ſaid *William Hammond*.

16. A Supplementary ACT to an Act, entitled, An Act for enabling a County School in *Worceſter* County, and appointing Viſitors for the ſame.

17. An ACT for the Adjournment and Continuance of *Frederick* County Court.

18. An ACT for amending the Staple of Tobacco, for preventing Frauds in his Majeſty's Cuſtoms, and for the Limitation of Officers Fees.

19. An ACT for the Adjournment of *Prince-George's* County Court.

20. An ACT to enable the Rector, Veſtrymen and Church-Wardens of the Parith of *St. Margaret's Weſtminſter*, in *Anne-Arundel* County, for the Time being, to ſell a Tract of Land therein mentioned, and to apply the Produce Money ariſing by ſuch Sale, towards the Purchaſe of another Piece of Land to be made a Glebe for the Uſe of the Incumbent of that Pariſh, and his Succeſſors.

21. An ACT for the ſpeedy Recovery of ſmall Debts out of Court, before one Juſtice of the Peace.

22. A Supplementary ACT to the Act, entitled, An Act for emitting and making Current Nine Thouſand Pounds Current Money of *Maryland*, in Bills of Credit.

23. An ACT for the Advancement of Juſtice.

24. An ACT for the more effectual Sale of Orphans Eſtates.

25. An ACT to confirm the Sale of part of the Land, lying in *Eaſtern-Neck* Iſland in *Kent* County, by *Dreper Lloyd*, and *Frances* his Wife, Executrix of *John Hynſon*, Deceaſed, to *Matthew Bryan*.

26. An ACT to prohibit raiſing of Swine and Geeſe in *Charles-Town*, in *Charles* County.

27. An ACT impowering the Juſtices of *Prince-George's* and *Charles* Counties, to Levy on the taxable Perſons of *Saint John's* (commonly called *King George's*) Pariſh, in the ſaid Counties, the Sum of Fifty-ſix Thouſand Pounds of Tobacco for the neceſſary Enlargement of their Pariſh Church.

28. An ACT for impoſing an additional Duty of Two Pounds per Poll, on all Negroes imported into this Province.

29. An ACT to continue the Power of Truſtees and Collectors, under the Act, entitled, An Act for granting a Supply of Forty Thouſand Pounds for his Majeſty's Service, and ſtriking Thirty Five Thouſand and Fifteen Pounds Six Shillings thereof in Bills of Credit, and raiſing a Fund for Sinking the ſame, in Collecting and Accounting for the ſeveral Sums due in Virtue of that Act.

30. An ACT impowering *Richard Richardſon* of *Frederick* County, to ſell and diſpoſe of the Land which belonged to his deceaſed Father *Richard Richardſon*, and to apply the Money ariſing therefrom, to the Uſes of his ſaid Father's Will.

31. An ACT to impower the Juſtices of *Charles* County, to Levy on the taxable Inhabitants of *Port-Tobacco* Pariſh, in ſaid County, an additional Sum, not exceeding Two Pounds of Tobacco per Poll, annually, for the further Support of an Academy in the ſaid Pariſh.

32. An ACT for erecting a Public School in *Frederick* County.

33. A Supplementary ACT to an Act, entitled, An Act for the ſpeedy and effectual Publication of the Laws of this Province, and for the Encouragement of *James Green*, of the City of *Annapolis*, Printer.

34. An ACT to revive *Kent* County Court, and to continue the Proceſs therein.

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE for Sterling Caſh, or Bills of Exchange, on the Premiſes, the 21ſt Day of this inſtant December, at 11 o'Clock in the Afternoon,

PART of a LOT of GROUND lying in *Church-Street*, near the Dock in ANNAPOLIS, whereon is a large Brick Dwelling-Houſe (in which the Subſcriber lately lived) with a Kitchen, Stable, &c. alſo one Wooden Dwelling-Houſe, with Kitchen, and other conveniences Out-Houſes. And a good Billiard Table. At the ſame Time will likewiſe be Sold, 342 Acres of good, well Timbered Land, lying in *Dorcheſter* County, between *Hunting Creek* and *Black-Water-River*, in a Neck of Land call'd *Potter's Neck*, about 2 Miles from navigable Water. And a Negro Man.

Due Attendance will be given.

JAMES CRAIG.

ALL Perſons Indebted to the Subſcriber are deſired to make immediate Payment, and will prevent Trouble to Their humble Servt.

JAMES CRAIG.

LARGE Bar-Grate, Pall, with a Copper Bottom, and Lead Top, which will contain 10 Gallons; also a very good Assortment of CALLICO PRINTS.

Any Person inclinable to Purchase may have them on the most reasonable Terms, by applying to

RALPH GORSUCH.

TO BE SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, on Monday the 19th of this Instant December, (if not the next fair Day after) by the Subscriber, for Ready Cash, Current Money, Jack or Pistole, or London Bills,

THE Land and Improvements where he now lives, about three Miles from *Pig-Point*, in *Virginia*, viz. Two Men, one Boy, one Woman, and Child, and one Woman big with Child. Likewise, Thirteen Horses and Mares.

SAMUEL LAMB, Son of *Richard*.

TO BE SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE, at the House of Mr. Arthur Charlton, in Frederick-Town, on Wednesday the 14th of this Instant December,

PART of a TRACT of LAND, called *Wells's Inheritance*, lying near Mr. *Fielder Gantt's* Iron Works, in *Frederick* County, containing 317 Acres. For Title and Terms apply to BENJAMIN HALL, of *Francis*, in *Prince-George's* County.

A GOOD Encouragement for a SADDLER-TREE MAKER; will be given in *Annapolis*.

CHARLES WILLIAM PEALE.

COMMITTED to *Anne-Arundel* County Jail, a NEW NEGRO who Answers to the Name of *Jack*, but as he cannot speak *English*, it is not known to whom he belongs; he is about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, and nearly the Colour of a Mulatto: Had on a brown Jacket of Country made Cloth, no Breeches, Shoes, nor Stockings.

His Master is desired to take him away, and pay Charges.

JOSEPH GALLOWAY, Sheriff.

TWO PISTOLES REWARD.

RAN away from on board a Schooner in *Choptank*, on the 13th of *October* last, viz. *Joseph*, a thick well set Fellow, about 30 Years of Age, and about 5 Feet 4 Inches high: Had on when he went away a light colour'd fearnought Coat, Oznabrigs Shirt, wide Oznabrigs Trowsers, and appears like a Sailor.

Harry, about 30 Years of Age, 5 Feet 8 Inches high, he hath lost some of the Toes of his Right Foot, and goes Lame, is in the same Dress as the above, and neither of them can speak good *English*.

Whoever will secure them so that the Owner may have them again, shall be entitled to the above Reward, or a Pistole for either, and reasonable Charges paid, if brought to the Ship-Yard on *Choptank River*.

SAMUEL GALLOWAY.

N. B. They appear like Sailors. All Masters of Vessels are forbid taking them on board.

November 30, 1763.

RAN away a Week ago from the Subscriber, living in *Patapsco* Neck in *Baltimore* County, a Mulatto Man, named *Jacob*, about five Feet six Inches high: Had on when he went away, an Ozenbrigs Check Jacket, Country Linen Shirt and Trowsers, new Shoes and Stockings. It is supposed he will endeavour to pass for a Sailor, as he has been for some Time by Water. Whoever apprehends the said Slave, and secures him in any Gaol that the Subscriber may get him again, shall have Three Pounds *Pennsylvania* Currency, if brought home Five Pounds like Money, and all reasonable Charges paid, paid by

LUKE TROTTER.

RAN away on the 22d of *October* last, from the Subscriber, living in *Tuckahoe* Neck, in *Queen-Anne's* County, a Mulatto Man named *Tom*, about 25 Years of Age, a well made Fellow, 5 Feet 3 or 4 Inches high, he has Wool on his Head, is much freckled, so that they appear like Marks of the Small-Pox: Had on a Pennsylvania Coat, blue Jacket and Breeches, Thread Stockings, and sundry other old Cloaths. He rode away a young Grey Horse about 14 Hands high, branded on the near Shoulder G. Whoever takes up and secures the said Mulatto, so that the Subscriber gets them again, shall have Three Pounds for the Man, and Thirty Shillings for the Horse, besides what the Law allows, paid by

THOMAS HARDCASTLE.

STRAYED from *Annapolis*, on Saturday last, a Dark Bay Mare about 15 Hands high, Branded on the near Buttock with a C. Shod before, her Tail is scraped into a long Bob, and the is marked with the Collar, occasioned by Drawing. Whoever takes up the said Mare, and secures her so that the Owner gets her again, shall receive Fifteen Shillings Reward, paid by

JOSHUA YATES.

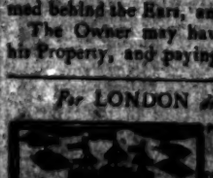
THERE is at the Plantation of *Henry Perrott*, in *Talbot* County, taken up as a Stray, a bright Bay Colt, about two Years old, with a black Mane and Tail, neither dock'd nor branded, and has no remarkable Spot about him, but a few white Hairs on the near hind Foot.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *John Greene*, in *Baltimore* County taken up as a Stray, a middle sized Bay Mare, branded on the near Shoulder H and on the near Buttock M, a small grey Spot on her off Cheek, some grey Hairs on the off Side of her Neck, a Sprig Tail, is trimmed behind the Ears, and is a Trotter.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

For LONDON *directly, with Liberty*,



THE SHIP *SARAH*, *John Wadkins*, Master, now lying at *Annapolis*, having Part of her Cargo engaged, and will sail by Christmas. For Freight or Passage, agree with Mr. HENRY WARD, or the said Master.

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To be SOLD by HENRY WARD, *at his* STORE *in* Annapolis,

BEST *Muscovado* SUGARS, and white Clay'd Ditto, in Hogsheads and Barrels; a Chest of best Bohea TEA, and Green Ditto; very Fine *Turks Island* SALT; and sundry other GOODS.

Also, to be Let on Freight, or Charter, a New *Bermuda* Built SLOOP. Apply to said *Ward*.

Hunger-River, Nov. 14, 1763.

THE SCHOONER, lately advertised in this Paper by the Subscriber, now lies in the Creek at the Back of the *Printing-Office*.

For Terms of Sale, &c. enquire of Mr. THOMAS RICHARDSON, Merchant, in *Annapolis*, or

JOHN BENNETT.

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To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER, *At Mr. Adams's in* Annapolis,

BARBADOS *Muscovado* SUGAR, by the Barrel or Hundred Weight; extraordinary good CLARET, by the Dozen; best *Cheshire* CHEESE; *Castile* SOAP, by the Box or Pound; Irish LINEN, by the Piece; and Pickled HERRINGS, by the Barrel.

2 JOHN PITT.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, *on Saturday the 17th of* December *inst. at the House of Mr.* Ignatius Semmes *in* Port-Tobacco *Town, in* Charles *County, for Sterling Money, or good Bills of Exchange*,

FOUR valuable LOTS, lying near the Centre of the said Town, well situated for Store or Tavern-keeping, whereon are two large Dwelling-Houses, Kitchen, Stable, Store-house, and other convenient Out-houses, somewhat out of Repair.

The Title is indisputable.

Any Person inclining to make a private Purchase, may know the Terms by applying to the Subscriber, living near said Town.

2 FRANCIS WARE.

Annapolis, November 16, 1763.

NOW in the Jail of this County, a likely young Negro Fellow, named *Jack*, says he belongs to one *Edward Dyer*, near *Piscataway*. His Master is desired to take him out and pay the Charges, otherwise he will be sent to the Public Jail in *Williamsburg*.

2 WILLIAM RAMSAY, Sheriff.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER, living on Patuxent River, in Baltimore County,

A TRACT or Parcel of LAND, containing One Hundred and Eighty ACRES, being Part of his Lordship's Reserve in the said County, and lying on a Branch of the Western Run, called *Rock Run*. A Situation extremely convenient for Water-Mills, the Soil good, and well Timber'd; to be Sold very cheap, for Current Money, by

WILLIAM PEARCE.

TO BE SOLD,

On Tuesday the Sixth Day of December *Inst.*

A TRACT of LAND, lying near *Pig-Point*, in *Anne-Arundel* County, called *Harrison's Enlargement*, (late the Dwelling Plantation of Mr. *Hopewell Keene*), containing about 300 ACRES, about 15 Acres of which is extremely well adapted for Meadow; the Fences and Houses, useful and convenient for a Farm, are in good Repair.

The Title indisputable.

The Sale to be on the Premises, about 12 o'Clock the same Day, or the first fair Day afterwards, should the Day appointed be bad.

For further Particulars enquire of

WILLIAM KEENE.

Charles County, *November* 8, 1763.

JUST IMPORTED *from* GLASGOW, *in the Ship* Fair Lilly, Robert Morrison, *Master, and to be* SOLD *by the Subscriber, at his* STORE *near* Port-Tobacco, *for Cash, Bills of Exchange, or Tobacco*,

THREE Distinct and very Sortable Parcels of GOODS, Value £. 186: 12: 6 £. 233: 3: 4, and £. 256: 0: 4.

Any Person inclinable to purchase, may have the Whole, or either of the Parcels, upon reasonable Terms, by applying to

WALTER HANSON.

ALL Persons Indebted to the Subscriber, are desired to make immediate Payment, otherwise he shall make Use of compulsive Measures, he being determin'd to leave off the Business of a Public-House Keeper, and willing, before he does it, to pay off all Claims against him, which he cannot do without Payments being first made to him.

IGNATIUS SEMMES.

Prince-George's County, *October* 8, 1763.

ALL Persons Indebted to the Estate of *Colonel Beanes*, upon Bond, Note, or open Account, are desired to Pay them, without further Delay.

TO BE SOLD,

A TRACT of LAND called *Beanes's Pasture*, containing 220 Acres, adjoining to the Town of *Nottingham*, on *Patuxent* River in *Prince-George's* County, whereon is a new Dwelling-House 28 by 26 Feet, finished in a neat and very convenient Manner, with a Kitchen 20 by 16 Feet, under which is a Stone Cellar. A good Stable. About Half the Tract is fine hard Marsh, which may easily be improved to very great Advantage; the other Part is very Level, and of a kind Soil.

For Title and Terms apply to

WILLIAM BEANES, junr. *Executor*.

Frederick County, *November* 9, 1763.

THE Subscriber, who was educated at the Grammar School in the City of *Aberdeen*, in *Scotland*, and afterwards studied several Years under an eminent Tutor, hereby informs those Gentlemen, who are desirous to have their Sons Taught the *Latin* Tongue, and will please to Favour him with their Encouragement; that they may depend upon the full Exertion of his utmost Care and Abilities, which he humbly Hopes will be found equal to the Task. He Teaches School near Capt. *Crabb's*, about 16 Miles above *George-Town*, a Neighbourhood, wherein are several genteel Houses, fit to accomodate Gentlemens Sons. He likewise learn'd the *French* Language Grammatically, and having spent several Years in *France*, thereby acquir'd the true Accent, and Teaches that likewise.

ALEXANDER IRVINE.

To be SOLD *at* PUBLIC SALE, *on Thursday the 15th of* December, *on the Premises*,

FOUR Hundred ACRES of good LAND, Part of a Tract called *Coal Spring*, lying on *Chopticunt* River, near *Bridge-Town*. Where is an Indifferent House, and it is conveniently situated for Trade. The Title and Terms of Sale will be explained the Day of Sale, by

WILLIAM HAMARD.

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Upper Marlborough, Nov. 1, 1763.

JUST IMPORTED

In the Peggy, Capt. Craig, from LONDON, and to be SOLD by the Subscribers, for Cash, Bills of Exchange, or Tobacco,

A LARGE ASSORTMENT of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS. Likewise, Eastern WINE, Barbados RUM, Loaf Sugar, Molasses, Spermaceti, Myrtle Wax, and Tallow Candles, Bohea and Hyson TEA, &c.

ALEXANDER & ANDREW SYMMER.

JUST ARRIVED,

From BARBADOS and ST. CHRISTOPHERS,

A PARCEL of choice RUM and SUGAR; also some Fine Barbados CANE SPIRIT, and RUM four Years old; to be Sold by the Subscriber, at his Stores on Patowmack and Potowmack; Where also may be had, Great Variety of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS, fine Green and Bohea TEA, Cables and small CORDAGE, Sail Duck and Ship Chandlery; for Bills, Cash, Tobacco, or Country Produce.

ALL Persons Indebted to me, Twelve Months or more, are desired to Pay and prevent Trouble to themselves and me; if they cannot at present Pay, let them come and give Security, and they shall be indulged with longer Time.

My late Store keeper, Mr. George Hardy, at Piscataway, finding it inconvenient with his other Business, to continue to collect the Debts due to me, contracted at my Piscataway Store; I have taken them Books, &c. to my own House at Upper-Marlborough, where I hereby desire every Person Indebted to me on them Books, will call and do the Needful without Loss of Time. I shall give them no other Notice than this Advertisement, but bring Suits against them that have neglected Payment immediately, November Court.

Nov. 8, 1763. STEPHEN WEST.

THE Managers of the BALTIMORE FIRE-ENGINE and WHARF LOTTERY, hereby give Notice, that they will positively begin Drawing the same, in the MARKET-HOUSE in Baltimore-Town, on the 26th of December, most of the Tickets being Sold, and a number of Gentlemen having engag'd to take all that shall be then left on Hand.

A STOCKING MANUFACTORY,

LATELY set up in Annapolis, near the Church, where any Gentlemen or Ladies may be furnished with STOCKINGS of any Kind, done in the neatest Manner, and at the most reasonable Prices. Likewise, with Patterns for Jackets and Breeches, or any Thing in that Way of Business.

The Subscribers will give Ready Money, and the best Prices, for THREAD, as it comes off the Reel.

JOHN BALL,
BENJAMIN BEALL.

N. B. Any Persons may have their own Thread or Worsted Wrought up, agreeable to Directions, at the lowest Rates.

Charles County, November 2, 1763.

NEGROES to be Sold for Cash or Tobacco, one Half payable next August, the other Half the August following, on very reasonable Terms. LAND to Lease for Fifteen Years, the two First Rent free. TOBACCO to Sell, or Let out on Interest, payable the First of August next.

for SAMUEL HANSON.

TO BE SOLD,

A LIKELY, healthy NEGRO GIRL, aged about 17 Years, who has been brought up to Houshold Work, such as Washing, Ironing, Cleaning, &c.

For Terms, enquire of William Killiss at Piscataway, or George Newman, in Annapolis.

TO BE SOLD, very Cheap,

For Ready Money, or short Credit,

A Quantity of Molasses, Barbados Rum and Sugar, by the Hogshead or Barrel; fine Madeira Wine, by the Pipe, Hogshead, or Quarter Cask; Claret Wine, by the Hogshead; and Barrel'd Pork, by

THOMAS RICHARDSON and Comp.

TO BE LET, for a Term of Years,

THE TAVERN and very convenient Dwelling-House, on Bush-Creek Point, on Kent-Island, now occupied by Mr. Thomas Hynson, Deceased.

EMORY HOBBS.

Charles County, October 10, 1763.

To be SOLD or LET, for a Term of Years, by the Subscriber, for Sterling, good Bills of Exchange, or Current Money,

ABOUT a Hundred Acres of well Timber'd Land, lying on Allen's Fresh, near the Head of Wicomico River, in the County aforesaid; on which is Three very valuable WATER-MILLS on one Dam, Two of them in one House; the Stones are large, and of the best Colour Grit; one of the Mills was built last Fall, and the other has been standing some Years, and is now thoroughly repaired. A Bake-House 30 Feet long, and 16 Feet wide, built with Brick; the Hearth of the Oven is laid with fine Stone from Britain, and draws 150 wt. of Ship Bread at a Draft, and bakes extremely well. A small Dwelling-House, with a Brick Chimney. Adjoining to it is a Kiln for drying Malt, compleatly fitted, with a Hair Cloth, &c. Two small Dwelling-Houses for a Baker and Miller, a Grainery not quite finished, 30 Feet long, and 12 Feet wide, Two Stories high: A convenient Store House; and a Blacksmith's Shop. The Whole will be delivered in good Repair. There is also on the said Land about 20 Acres of good Meadow Ground. The Mills, &c. are well situated for carrying on the Baking Business, being very near the Naval-Office, where the Shipping are obliged to stop, and is the most convenient Place for them to take in their Bread. The Title is indisputable. BENJAMIN FENDALL.

4 6 Alexandria, Sept. 8, 1763.

To be SOLD, in Frederick County, lying on Shanandoah River, about 3 Miles from Keys's Ferry, and 2 Miles from the Ford at Vestal's Gap,

A TRACT of LAND, containing 200 Acres, 60 of which is good Bottom and Meadow Ground, the Upland very good. It hath a good Dwelling House, shedded, and 4 Rooms below, a new Barn, a Tobacco House, an Orchard of good bearing Apple Trees, some Peach Trees, and the whole Plantation in good Order; it is watered by a fine Stream, on which is a very good double geared Overshot Merchant Mill (the House of Stone) two good Bolts, Cloths and Chests, and an Engine to hoist up the Meal, all which go by Water, and are in good Order. Also a Saw Mill, newly repaired; a Store House, Ware House, Cooper's Shop, Miller's House, a House for Workmen, and Garden paled in, a Stable, and other necessary Houses. The said Mills adjoin Col. Fairfax's Bloomery, and within 8 Miles of Semple's Iron-works on Patowmack, about 50 Miles from the Lower Falls, and 60 from Alexandria; the Road to navigable Water being very good, and the Gap over the Mountain the best on the whole Ridge.

Any Person inclinable to purchase, may be shewn the Premises by John Hoyton, on the Spot, and the Terms, by applying to Messrs. Carlyle and Dalton, Merchants, in Alexandria, or the Subscriber.

WILLIAM RAMSAY.

ROBERT WILSON, Merchant of Dorchester County, intending to leave this Province early in the Spring, desires all Persons who have any Claims on him to bring them in, that they may be Paid: And all those who are Indebted to him must settle and pay their Accounts before that Time, or else they must expect Trouble.

4 6 ROBERT WILSON.

ALL Persons Indebted to the Estate of Messrs. William Chapman, senior, and William Chapman, junior, are requested to make immediate Payment to my Brother Thomas Galloway: And all those who have any Claims against the Estate of the said William Chapman, junior, are desired to send in their Accounts, legally proved, to the said Thomas Galloway, who is fully impowered to manage and settle all my Affairs; and I do hereby declare, that all Business which shall be transacted by him, on my Account, shall be as good and as firm as if done by myself.

4 6 ANNE CHAPMAN, Administratrix of Wm. Chapman, senr. & junr.

Piscataway, November 1, 1763.

TO BE SOLD,

A LARGE, & Regular, Set Property of [illegible] of about 55 Years of Age, a Brewer, will make Porter, besides a Brick Mill well, a pretty good House, Carpenter, and Cooper, and can Hand, Reap and Mow as well as most Sailors. The Price [illegible] Sterling, under which no Part will be Sold. [illegible]

CHARLES MOR[illegible]

Pursuant to an Order of Fairfax County Court, To be LET to the LOWEST BIDDER, on Monday the Twelfth Day of December [illegible] in Alexandria, in Virginia, by the Subscribers,

THE BUILDING a BRICK HOUSE for a PRISON, 36 Feet long and Twenty wide, two Stories high: A Plan of which will be [illegible] that Day, and Articles entered into with the Undertaker; to be paid for in Tobacco at two [illegible] Payments, the one Half the ensuing Summer, the other Half in the Summer of 1765.

JOHN WEST,
JOHN CARLYLE,
WILLIAM RAMSAY,
ROBERT ADAM.

Alexandria, October 15, 1763.

RAN away from the Subscriber on the Fork of October last, from Tocomico River, in Northumberland County, Virginia, a Servant Man named John Payne, Born in Maryland, about Feet 7 Inches high, a thin spare Man, of a [illegible] Complexion, and about 25 Years of Age. He had on and with him, a Claret or Pompadour coloured Cloth Coat, black Worsted figured Waistcoat, Jacket, fine Callico Hat, blue Cloth and Buckskin Breeches, mix'd Yarn and black Worsted Stockings, new Cheek Trowsers, a new Check Shirt, a remarkable Halfthick Jacket and Breeches of different Colours, one Part blue, and the other [illegible] It is thought he will make for North-Carolina or Pennsylvania.

Whoever apprehends the said Servant, and delivers him to his Master, or secures him so that he may be had again, shall have One Pistole Reward besides what the Law allows, if taken 10 Miles off; Two Pistoles, if 15 Miles; Three Pistoles if 30 Miles, Five Pistoles, if 50 Miles; and Ten Pistoles, if out of the Province, paid by

RICHARD [illegible]

WILLIAM LOGAN, Barber, Perukemaker, Hair-Cutter and Dresser, who served his Time with Mr. Andrew Buchanan,

BEING now out of his Servitude, has set up his Business, at the Barber's Pole, next Door to Nathan Hammond's on the Dock in Annapolis, where any Gentlemen or Ladies may depend on being as well suited as in London, with the same Dispatch, and at the cheapest Rates. He has a Quantity of the best Hairs, and the newest Fashions as late as March last.

WANTED in VIRGINIA,

A MILLER that understands keeping a Merchant Mill in Order, and understands grinding Wheat in the best Manner for making Bread for the West-India Markets.

Enquire at the PRINTING-OFFICE.

TO BE SOLD,

A TRACT of LAND called The Plain Dealing, commonly called Hammond's Quarter, containing 1580 ACRES, lying on the Main Road leading from Baltimore-Town to Frederick-Town, about 14 Miles from the former. The Soil well adapted to Farming, and convenient for a Merchant Mill. The whole will be Sold together, or in Lots of 300 Acres, as may suit the Purchasers.

For Terms apply to

ALEXANDER [illegible]

TO BE SOLD,

For Bills of Exchange, Sterling, or Current Money,

ABOUT Five Hundred ACRES of [illegible] Part of a Tract of Land (where the Owner lives) called Hard to Get and Dear paid for, lying in Anne-Arundel County, near Elk-Ridge, and on the main Road from Annapolis to Frederick-Town.

For Title and Terms apply to

THOMAS, SAMUEL, & JOHN [illegible]

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